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PATENT APPLICATION  
TRANSMITTAL

Docket No.: 00248CONT

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Title: PANEL WITH A FRAME AND METHOD FOR  
MANUFACTURING THE SAME

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Washington, DC 20231

1.  Fee Transmittal Form  
(original and duplicate for processing)
2.  Applicant claims small entity status  
See 37 CFR 1.27
3.  Specification Total Pages 34
4.  Drawings Total Sheets 12
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6.  Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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table or Computer Program (Appendix)
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Sequence  
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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9.  Assignment & Cover Sheet
10.  37 CFR 1.373 Statement  Power of  
Attorney
11.  English Translation Document
12.  Information Disclosure Statement with:  
 PTO-1449  Copies of Citations
13.  Preliminary Amendment
14.  Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
15.  Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
16.  Other:

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information below and in a preliminary amendment, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

Continuation  Divisional  Continuation-in-part of prior application No. 09/229,990

Prior application information: Examiner: E. Lee Group Art Unit: 1732

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**FEE CALCULATION (continued)**

**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

- Surcharge- late filing fee or oath  
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Non-English specification  
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Requesting publication of SIR prior to examiner action  
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Extension of reply within first month  
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Extension of reply within fifth month  
Notice of Appeal  
Filing a brief in support of appeal  
Request for oral hearing  
Petition to institute a public use proceeding  
Petition to revive- unavoidable  
Petition to revive- unintentional  
Utility issue fee (or reissue)  
Design issue fee  
Plant issue fee  
Petition to the Commissioner

**1. BASIC FILING FEE**

Fee Description	Fee Paid
Utility filing fee	710.00
Design filing fee	
Plant filing fee	
Reissue filing fee	
Provisional filing fee	

**SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 710.00**

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

	Extra	Fee	Fee Paid
Total Claims	31	-20 = 11	X 18 = 198
Independent Claims	4	-3 = 1	X 80 = 80
Multiple Dependent			=
<b>SUBTOTAL (2)</b>			<b>\$ 278.00</b>

- Petitions related to provisional applications  
Submission of Information Disclosure Statement  
Recording each patent assignment per property (x number of properties)  
Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(b))  
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